himself the right to reject any tender without assigning any reasons therefor.

Within fifteen days of the date of intimation of the acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer should remit the balance of the tender amount along with cesses at 0-2-3 per rupee on the full sale amount and should enter into an agreement with the District Forest Officer, Sagar, on a duly stamped paper (procured at his own cost), after furnishing a Security Deposit of Rs. 100 or one-quarter of the tender amount whichever is less. If the successful tenderer fails to remit the amount as above or to execute the agreement duly furnishing the required security, the lease sanctioned in his favour will be cancelled at his own risk and the amount paid by him will be forfeited.

For detailed conditions please see the sale Notification No. S. 2-8-1074-45-46, dated 20th March 1948 of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, published on pages 313-314 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 22nd April 1948.

3432 K. R. VENKATA RAO, *D.F.O.*

CHIKMAGALUR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 30th July 1948.

TENDERS FOR THE PREPARATION AND SUPPLY OF SLEEPERS FROM THE FORESTS OF KOPPA AND SRINGERI RANGES DURING 1948-49.

Sealed tenders will be received upto 4 P.M. on Thursday the 2nd September 1948 at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Chikmagalur, for the preparation and supply of the following kinds and quantities of Railway sleepers to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravathi, during 1948-49, the average lead from the Forest to the Wood Preservation Plant, Bhadravathi, being about 68 miles.

Name of Range.	Locality	Kind	Minimum number to be prepared and supplied. M.G.	T.G.
1 Sringeri ...	(a) Narasimhaparvata (1) Kalgi area (2) Yethinahatti	Dhuma and Surahoone.	10,000	500
	(b) Kamardi and Halmathur District Forests.	Kiralbhogi.	1,000	200
2 Koppa Range	Balehonnur and Magundi District Forests.	Junglewood	....	10,000

2. Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes and the rates should be distinctly written both in words and figures for each kind of sleeper, from the different localities.

3. Petrol for transporting the sleepers will be made available to the extent possible on the basis of ten miles to a gallon. The tenderer should supplement the means of transport by using vehicles fitted with gas plant or by employing country carts as the case may be, so that the minimum number of sleepers noted above may be transported before the end of May 1949. Failure to transport the sleepers on the plea that sufficient quantity of petrol is not made available by the Department cannot be accepted.

4. The final acceptance of the tender rests with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Circle, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other tender or to assign any reason for the rejection of any or all the tenders received.

5. For other particulars, please contact the District Forest Officer, Chikmagalur.

3383 MOHAMED AHMED, *D. F. O.*

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

WATER SUPPLY DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Abstract Notification dated 30th July 1948.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on 23rd August 1948, for "Constructing Menial Staff Quarters at Bethamangala".

The detailed schedule of items of work can be seen at the office during working hours from 11 A.M. to 5 P.M.

Tender forms can be had in the above office on payment of annas four only per form.

The earnest money for the work is Rs. 825 and should be credited to "40 (1) P. W. Remittance Deposits" and duplicate chellan submitted along with the tender.

2430 M. N. RAMAKRISHNA, *Ex. Engr.*

BUILDINGS DIVISION, MYSORE.

Notification dated 1st August 1948.

Tenders in sealed cover superscribed as "Tender for extending the Chemistry Laboratory in Medical College, Mysore" will be received in the office of the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on 16th August 1948. The tender should be accompanied by a chellan for having credited Rs. 750 as earnest money into Government Treasury in favour of the undersigned under "40 (1) Payments into Treasury by P.W.D." No cheques will be accepted. Tenders not accompanied by such chellans will be disqualified without any consideration.

Detailed estimates and plans and agreement forms may be seen in this office on all working days between 1 P.M. and 4 P.M. after making an appointment.

Tenders should be on percentage basis only. Such rates must hold good till the completion of the work from the date of tender. For all non-tendered items and for data rates as per sanctioned schedule only will be allowed. Details for lumpsum provision will be got up and paid for as per schedule of rates or as per data.

The work should be completed within one year from the date of acceptance of tender.

The undersigned reserves the right to accept or reject any quotation whether high or low without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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Notification dated 2nd August 1948.

Tenders in sealed cover superscribed as "Tender for construction of the Physiology Block in the Medical College, Mysore" will be received in the office of the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on 17th August 1948. The tender should be accompanied by a chellan for having credited Rs. 4,805 as earnest money into Government treasury in favour of the undersigned under "40 (1) Payments into Treasury by P.W.D." No cheques will be accepted, Tenders not accompanied by such chellans will be disqualified without any consideration.

Detailed estimates and plans and agreement forms may be seen in this office on all working days between 1 P.M. and 4 P.M. after making an appointment.

Tenders should be on percentage basis only. Such rates must hold good till the completion from the date of tender. For all non-tendered items and for data rates as per sanctioned schedule only will be allowed. Details for lumpsum provision will be got up and paid for as per schedule of rates or as per data.

The work should be completed within one year from the date of acceptance of tender.

The undersigned reserves the right to accept or reject any quotation whether high or low without assigning any reason whatsoever.

3442 T. HUCHVEERIAH. *Ex. Enr.*

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF GEOLOGY IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification.

Re:—Mining of 1,500 tons of 'A' grade Kaolin at Arjunabhattahalli (Nelamangala Taluk), 500 tons of felspar at Krishnapur (Holenarsipur Taluk) and transporting the same from minehead to the Holenarsipur Railway Station, including loading into waggons and 400 tons of Quartz at Peenya (Bangalore North Taluk) and supplying the same to the General Manager, Government Porcelain Factory, Malleswaram Post, Bangalore.

No. G.—Notice is hereby given that the above quantities of minerals are to be mined at the respective places noted above under the supervision of this Department and to be supplied to the Government Porcelain Factory, Bangalore.

Sealed tenders from intending contractors for the above work will be received at the office of the undersigned from 12 NOON and up to and not later than 2 P.M. *on Monday the 16th August* 1948, when the tenderer should also deposit an earnest money of Rs. 200 for each of the mineral he intends mining for the due fulfilment of the terms of contract which will be returned if the tender is not accepted.

Each tenderer should send his lowest quotation per ton, in a sealed envelope addressed to the Director of Geology in Mysore, Bangalore and superscribed "Tender for the Mining and Supplying of Kaolin, Felspar and Quartz". The name of the tenderer should be superscribed on the top of the cover.

Tenders will be opened by the undersigned at 2-30 P.M. on 16th August 1948, when the tenderers should be present. The successul tenderer will have to execute a bond stating that